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LB 44

PRESIDENT: Would a Page check the mechanics of that voting machine there? Has a telephone inadvertently pushed over the green button? Mistakes will happen. You know, one of the janitors comes by and bumps it or something.

SENATOR BEREUTER: Mr. President, I would hope that those votes could be deleted for this afternoon.

PRESIDENT: Well we don't know of any other one than this one. Something has happened to Senator Marsh's as well. There. All right, I don't think that there is any provision for changing any past vote. Thank you Senator Bereuter. Senator Chambers, for what purpose do you arise?

SENATOR CHAMBERS: I have a question because there are some bills where the vote may have been crucial and I want this question into the record which may be of value later on. I would like the Chairman to give me a ruling. Is Senator Schmit recorded as being here or being excused?

PRESIDENT: He is recorded as checking in after the recess, that is correct sir.

SENATOR CHAMBERS: All right, so he is listed as not absent.

PRESIDENT: That is correct. Please read LB 44.

CLERK: Reads LB 44.

PRESIDENT: Senator Duis for what purpose do you arise?

SENATOR DUIS: Merely for the enlightenment of the Chair LB 44 isn't on our list.

PRESIDENT: Oh, we announced that at the commencement of the session this morning. The bills that were added to Final Reading.

SENATOR DUIS: Well the ones that I have got here was 847, 184, 184A and 757.

PRESIDENT: Well I announced 44 as well.

SENATOR DUIS: Thank you.

PRESIDENT: Well Senator Clark and Senator Duis dispute all of the rest of us and I can understand that. I beg your pardon? Continue with the reading.

CLERK: Continues to Read LB 44.

PRESIDENT: All provisions of law relative to procedure having been complied with, the question is, shall LB 44 pass. Record your vote. Record.

CLERK: 40 ayes, 4 nays, 2 present and not voting, 3 excused and not voting. Vote appears on page 1940 of the Legislative Journal.

PRESIDENT: LB 44 passes. Please read LB 184.

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